

Fill in this information to identify your case:

United States Bankruptcy Court for the:

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS, EASTERN DIVISION

Case number (if known) \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter 11

Check if this an amended filing

## Official Form 201

## Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write the debtor's name and the case number (if known). For more information, a separate document, *Instructions for Bankruptcy Forms for Non-Individuals*, is available.

1. Debtor's name The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC

2. All other names debtor used in the last 8 years

Include any assumed names, trade names and doing business as names

3. Debtor's federal Employer Identification Number (EIN) 92-3997435

4. Debtor's address Principal place of business Mailing address, if different from principal place of business

1226 N. Cleaver Street  
Chicago, IL 60642

Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code

Cook  
County

P.O. Box, Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code

Location of principal assets, if different from principal place of business

1016 W. Cullerton Chicago, IL 60608

Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code

5. Debtor's website (URL) \_\_\_\_\_

6. Type of debtor  Corporation (including Limited Liability Company (LLC) and Limited Liability Partnership (LLP))  
 Partnership (excluding LLP)  
 Other. Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Debtor

The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC

Name

Case number (if known)

## 7. Describe debtor's business

## A. Check one:

Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))  
 Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))  
 Railroad (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(44))  
 Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))  
 Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))  
 Clearing Bank (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 781(3))  
 None of the above

## B. Check all that apply

Tax-exempt entity (as described in 26 U.S.C. §501)  
 Investment company, including hedge fund or pooled investment vehicle (as defined in 15 U.S.C. §80a-3)  
 Investment advisor (as defined in 15 U.S.C. §80b-2(a)(11))

C. NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) 4-digit code that best describes debtor. See <http://www.uscourts.gov/four-digit-national-association-naics-codes>.6531

## 8. Under which chapter of the Bankruptcy Code is the debtor filing?

## Check one:

Chapter 7  
 Chapter 9  
 Chapter 11. Check all that apply:

Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$3,024,725 (amount subject to adjustment on 4/01/25 and every 3 years after that).  
 The debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). If the debtor is a small business debtor, attach the most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if all of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 1116(1)(B).  
 The debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D), and it chooses to proceed under Subchapter V of Chapter 11.  
 A plan is being filed with this petition.  
 Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b).  
 The debtor is required to file periodic reports (for example, 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission according to § 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. File the *Attachment to Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy under Chapter 11* (Official Form 201A) with this form.  
 The debtor is a shell company as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Rule 12b-2.

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## 9. Were prior bankruptcy cases filed by or against the debtor within the last 8 years?

 No. Yes.

If more than 2 cases, attach a separate list.

District	When	Case number
District	When	Case number

## 10. Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being filed by a business partner or an affiliate of the debtor?

 No Yes.

List all cases. If more than 1, attach a separate list

Debtor	Relationship
District	Case number, if known
When	

Debtor The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC  
Name

Case number (if known)

11. Why is the case filed in this district? *Check all that apply:*

Debtor has had its domicile, principal place of business, or principal assets in this district for 180 days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other district.

A bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partnership is pending in this district.

## 12. Does the debtor own or have possession of any real property or personal property that needs immediate attention?

 No Yes. Answer below for each property that needs immediate attention. Attach additional sheets if needed.

## Why does the property need immediate attention? (Check all that apply.)

It poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable hazard to public health or safety.

What is the hazard? \_\_\_\_\_

It needs to be physically secured or protected from the weather.

It includes perishable goods or assets that could quickly deteriorate or lose value without attention (for example, livestock, seasonal goods, meat, dairy, produce, or securities-related assets or other options).

 Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Where is the property?

Number, Street, City, State &amp; ZIP Code

## Is the property insured?

 No Yes. Insurance agency \_\_\_\_\_

Contact name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

## Statistical and administrative information

## 13. Debtor's estimation of available funds

## Check one:

 Funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors. After any administrative expenses are paid, no funds will be available to unsecured creditors.

## 14. Estimated number of creditors

1-49  
 50-99  
 100-199  
 200-999

1,000-5,000  
 5001-10,000  
 10,001-25,000

25,001-50,000  
 50,001-100,000  
 More than 100,000

## 15. Estimated Assets

\$0 - \$50,000  
 \$50,001 - \$100,000  
 \$100,001 - \$500,000  
 \$500,001 - \$1 million

\$1,000,001 - \$10 million  
 \$10,000,001 - \$50 million  
 \$50,000,001 - \$100 million  
 \$100,000,001 - \$500 million

\$500,000,001 - \$1 billion  
 \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion  
 \$10,000,000,001 - \$50 billion  
 More than \$50 billion

## 16. Estimated liabilities

\$0 - \$50,000  
 \$50,001 - \$100,000  
 \$100,001 - \$500,000  
 \$500,001 - \$1 million

\$1,000,001 - \$10 million  
 \$10,000,001 - \$50 million  
 \$50,000,001 - \$100 million  
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The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC

Name

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**Request for Relief, Declaration, and Signatures**

**WARNING** -- Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime. Making a false statement in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

**17. Declaration and signature  
of authorized  
representative of debtor**

The debtor requests relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.

I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor.

I have examined the information in this petition and have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on July 23, 2024  
MM / DD / YYYY

**X** /s/ Rosendo Carrazco  
Signature of authorized representative of debtor

Rosendo Carrazco  
Printed name

Title Managing Member

**18. Signature of attorney**

**X** /s/ Penelope Bach  
Signature of attorney for debtor

Date July 23, 2024  
MM / DD / YYYY

Penelope Bach  
Printed name

Bach Law Offices  
Firm name

P.O. Box 1285  
Northbrook, IL 60065  
Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code

Contact phone (847) 564-0808x216 Email address pnbach@bachoffices.com

IL  
Bar number and State

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Official Form 202

**Declaration Under Penalty of Perjury for Non-Individual Debtors**

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An individual who is authorized to act on behalf of a non-individual debtor, such as a corporation or partnership, must sign and submit this form for the schedules of assets and liabilities, any other document that requires a declaration that is not included in the document, and any amendments of those documents. This form must state the individual's position or relationship to the debtor, the identity of the document, and the date. Bankruptcy Rules 1008 and 9011.

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Declaration and signature

I am the president, another officer, or an authorized agent of the corporation; a member or an authorized agent of the partnership; or another individual serving as a representative of the debtor in this case.

I have examined the information in the documents checked below and I have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct:

Schedule A/B: Assets–Real and Personal Property (Official Form 206A/B)  
 Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property (Official Form 206D)  
 Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims (Official Form 206E/F)  
 Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases (Official Form 206G)  
 Schedule H: Codebtors (Official Form 206H)  
 Summary of Assets and Liabilities for Non-Individuals (Official Form 206Sum)  
 Amended Schedule  
 Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 Cases: List of Creditors Who Have the 20 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders (Official Form 204)  
 Other document that requires a declaration

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on July 23, 2024

X /s/ Rosendo Carrazco

Signature of individual signing on behalf of debtor

Rosendo Carrazco

Printed name

Managing Member

Position or relationship to debtor

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## Official Form 204

### Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 Cases: List of Creditors Who Have the 20 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders

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A list of creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims must be filed in a Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 case. Include claims which the debtor disputes. Do not include claims by any person or entity who is an insider, as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(31). Also, do not include claims by secured creditors, unless the unsecured claim resulting from inadequate collateral value places the creditor among the holders of the 20 largest unsecured claims.

Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code	Name, telephone number and email address of creditor contact	Nature of claim (for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services, and government contracts)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, or disputed	Amount of claim		
				Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured claim
City of Chicago The Department of Water Management P.O. Box 6330 Chicago, IL 60680-6330						\$25,721.00

**United States Bankruptcy Court  
Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division**

In re The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC

Debtor(s)

Case No.

Chapter 11

**LIST OF EQUITY SECURITY HOLDERS**

Following is the list of the Debtor's equity security holders which is prepared in accordance with rule 1007(a)(3) for filing in this Chapter 11 Case

Name and last known address or place of business of holder	Security Class	Number of Securities	Kind of Interest
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-NONE-

**DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP**

I, the Managing Member of the corporation named as the debtor in this case, declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing List of Equity Security Holders and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Date July 23, 2024

Signature /s/ Rosendo Carrazco  
Rosendo Carrazco

*Penalty for making a false statement of concealing property:* Fine of up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 5 years or both.  
18 U.S.C. §§ 152 and 3571.

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## DISCLOSURE OF COMPENSATION OF ATTORNEY FOR DEBTOR(S)

1. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 329(a) and Fed. Bankr. P. 2016(b), I certify that I am the attorney for the above named debtor(s) and that compensation paid to me within one year before the filing of the petition in bankruptcy, or agreed to be paid to me, for services rendered or to be rendered on behalf of the debtor(s) in contemplation of or in connection with the bankruptcy case is as follows:

 FLAT FEE

For legal services, I have agreed to accept ..... \$ .....

Prior to the filing of this statement I have received ..... \$ .....

Balance Due ..... \$ .....

 RETAINER

For legal services, I have agreed to accept and received a retainer of ..... \$ ..... 10,000.00

The undersigned shall bill against the retainer at an hourly rate of ..... \$ ..... 425.00  
[Or attach firm hourly rate schedule.] Debtor(s) have agreed to pay all Court approved fees and expenses exceeding the amount of the retainer.

2. The source of the compensation paid to me was:

Debtor  Other (specify):

3. The source of compensation to be paid to me is:

Debtor  Other (specify):

4.  I have not agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with any other person unless they are members and associates of my law firm.

I have agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with a person or persons who are not members or associates of my law firm. A copy of the agreement, together with a list of the names of the people sharing in the compensation is attached.

5. In return for the above-disclosed fee, I have agreed to render legal service for all aspects of the bankruptcy case, including:

a. Representation of the debtor in adversary proceedings and other contested bankruptcy matters;  
b. [Other provisions as needed]

6. By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed fee does not include the following service:

## CERTIFICATION

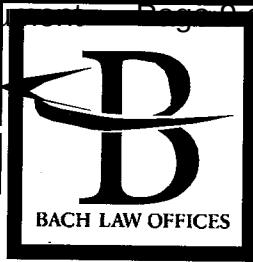
I certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of any agreement or arrangement for payment to me for representation of the debtor(s) in this bankruptcy proceeding.

July 23, 2024

Date

Penelope Bach  
Signature of Attorney  
Bach Law Offices  
P.O. Box 1285  
Northbrook, IL 60065  
(847) 564-0808x216 Fax: (847) 564-0985  
pnbach@bachoffices.com

Name of law firm:



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## Chapter 11 Retainer Agreement

Dated: 06/26/2024

Re: *Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Representation*

*Bach Law Offices, Inc.* ("We" or the "Firm") is honored that you have selected us to represent The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC ("Client") as insolvency and bankruptcy counsel. Our objective is to provide highquality legal services to The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC at a fair and reasonable cost. This letter ("Agreement") outlines the basis upon which we will provide legal services to The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC and confirms our understanding with respect to payment of legal fees, costs and expenses incurred with such representation. We apologize for the formality of this agreement, but we believe that it is important for you to have a clear understanding of our policies regarding legal fees and costs from the beginning of our relationship. Moreover, many of the provisions of this letter are required or recommended by the Illinois State Bar and the Illinois Rules of Professional Responsibility.

- 1. Scope of Services; Client, Duties** The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC is hiring us as attorneys to represent it as bankruptcy counsel in a Chapter 11 case. We will keep you informed of the progress of the case and will be available to you to answer any questions you might have. If at any time you determine that The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC needs to file a Chapter 7 bankruptcy case instead of the Chapter 11 case, the parties will need to execute a new fee agreement setting forththe terms of such representation. If you elect to convert the Chapter 11 case to a Chapter 7 case,then we shall be under no duty to prepare and file the necessary court papers until the new fee agreement has been signed and the agreed upon fees paid.
- 2. Assumptions under this agreement.**
  - a. You have provided all requested information.
  - b. You have provided complete and accurate information.
  - c. Your circumstances, especially your current monthly income (as defined by the BankruptcyCode) does not substantially change prior to the filing of the case.
  - d. You will provide all requested documents within 15 days of the date of this Agreement.
- 3. Retainer.** For us to begin our representation, you agree to forward a retainer in the total amount \$10,000.00. The total \$10,000.00 of the retainer is due prior to the Chapter 11 being filed. This retainer will be deposited in our attorney business account but we may use these funds, up to the full \$ 10,000.00 to pay our fees and costs, subject to Court approval of any feesor costs incurred after your case is filed.

Under the 2007 Illinois Supreme Court case of Dowling v. Chicago Options Assoc., Inc. we are required to make  
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certain disclosures to you about the retainer you would be paying pursuant to the above paragraph. The retainer is called an "Advanced Payment" Retainer. The Advance Payment Retainer means that the payments made by Client to Attorney are present payment to us in exchange for our commitment to provide legal services to you in the future. The fees paid by the Client will be deposited in our business account and not in our trust account. This means that we own the fees immediately upon payment. If our representation of Client ends before the retainer is exhausted, the retainer is subject to refund to you pursuant to the Illinois Rule of Professional Conduct.

**4. Legal Fees and Billing Practices.** Professional fees charged reflect a number of factors, including the number of attorney hours incurred, the relative experience of the attorney(s) performing the services, the difficulty of the matter, and the results obtained for the client. Our professional fees are determined by multiplying the actual number of hours incurred by the hourly billing rate. From time to time, our hourly billing rates will change. We will notify you of any changes in the firm's hourly rate structure. Our minimum billing unit is one-tenth of an hour, and services will be recorded and billed in tenths of an hour increments.

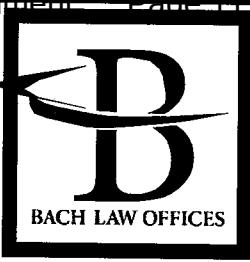
We will charge The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC for all activities undertaken in providing legal services to The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC under this Agreement, including but not limited to the following: conferences, including preparation and participation; preparation and review of correspondence, email and other documents; legal research and analysis; court and other appearances, including preparation and participation; and communications, including email, telephone, facsimile, in-person and other communications with you, other attorneys or persons involved with this matter, governmental agencies and any other party or person contact with whom is advisable for our representation. The legal personnel assigned to this matter may confer among themselves about the matter, as required. When they do confer, each will charge for the time expended. If more than one of our legal personnel attends a meeting, court hearing or other proceeding, each will charge for the time spent only if it is necessary in our judgment to have two or more personnel at the meeting, hearing or proceeding. We charge for waiting and portal-to-portal travel time, both local and out-of-town.

Currently our hourly rates range from \$125.00 per hour for paralegals/legal assistants to \$425.00 for lawyers. - The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC agrees to pay our fees and costs based upon our then prevailing hourly rates and charges at the time the services are rendered.

You hereby authorize the secure destruction of your file seven years after it is closed, and agree that we shall have no liability for destroying any records, documents, or exhibits still in our possession at the end of five years. All future work for The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC in other matters will be handled in accordance with this Agreement at our regular hourly rates unless otherwise agreed upon.

**5. Costs and Other Charges.** We will incur various costs and expenses in the normal course of performing legal services under this Agreement. Costs and expenses commonly include filing and recordation fees,

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court reporters' fees, computer legal research, messenger and other delivery services, postage, parking and other local travel expenses, telecopying, photocopying and other reproduction costs. You agree to pay transportation, meals, lodging and all other costs of any necessary travel by our personnel. The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC will be charged the hourly rates for the time we spend traveling, both local and out of town. The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC also agrees to pay for charges such as expert witness fees, title insurance fees, consultant and investigator fees, and the like. Photocopying is currently billed at \$0.10 per page, and motor travel at IRS standards. The Chapter11 filing fee is \$1,738.00, which will be paid as part of the initial retainer. The firm reserves the right to require that certain costs, such as travel expenses, expert witness fees and deposition transcripts, be paid in advance directly by the client, or be paid into escrow before such costs are incurred.

**6.**

**Billing Statements.** Once your case has been filed, we will file a motion in the Bankruptcy Court for approval of our fees for services based on time and expenses up until the date of filing the Motion. We will always send you a copy of this motion with a detailed itemization of all fees and costs incurred and the basis for the fees and costs.

Upon Court approval of these fees, we will send you an itemized statement indicating fees and costs incurred and their basis, any amounts applied from the retainer, and any current balance owed, as well as any deductions requested by the Court if any. This billing statement will list the professionals who worked on your matter for that billing period with their hourly billing rates.

Should you have any questions concerning any statement, we encourage you to discuss them with us prior to the Court date listed on the Motion for Fees so that we may have an opportunity to resolve any misunderstandings in a mutually agreeable manner.

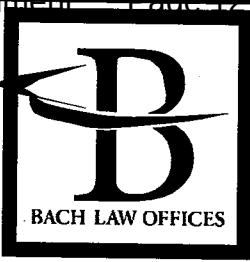
Any fees or costs due after application of your retainer, as determined by the Court and after approval of a fee application and notice to you, must be paid promptly.

Payment of fees and costs shall be made upon receipt of orders approving fees (or, after confirmation of your plan, upon receipt of invoices therefore), with payment received in our office no later than 5 days after the date of the order or invoice.

**7. Chapter 11 Filing.** The ultimate fees to be awarded the Firm for its representation of

The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC in the Chapter 11 case must be approved by the Bankruptcy Court. Interim applications for compensation and reimbursement of expenses will be filed by the Firm with the Bankruptcy Court to obtain authorization for further payment. Generally, interim applications are made on a quarterly basis, but may be submitted more often. The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC agrees to pay any award of compensation upon the entry of a Court order authorizing such award.

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The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC agrees that you shall perform fully and conscientiously all the duties of a Debtor and Debtor-in-Possession under the Bankruptcy Code, and shall timely comply with all reasonable requests for information or reports by the U.S. Trustee, any Creditor's Committee, and the Firm. These duties may include, but are not limited to, gathering and reviewing all of the information necessary for filing a complete and accurate list of all assets, creditors, budget, a schedule of executory contracts and unexpired leases, the Statement of Financial Affairs, and the Statement of Current Income and Expenses. You acknowledge having received a Questionnaire assisting the Firm in completing such documents, and agrees to timely, completely, and accurately complete the Questionnaire.

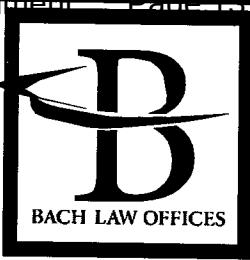
If during the course of the bankruptcy you wish to sell, refinance or pledge as security real property or any of your other assets, you must let us know so that we can ask the Court for approval. If you do not do this, the property or asset may not be able to be legally transferred, refinanced or pledged, which can cause significant problems both with the transaction and with your bankruptcy case. You must provide us with a copy of the listing agreement and/or contract for sale of the property before such document is signed by you.

Some debts, such as student loans, domestic support obligations (alimony, child support arrearages, etc.) and certain taxes, may not be dischargeable in your case. Liens, such as security interests, homeowner's liens and mortgages, may not release upon your confirmation, and you may need to make arrangements for the payment of such debts or surrender the property securing them after the conclusion of your case. Post-petition/pre-foreclosure homeowner's and condominium association charges are not discharged. You have been advised to close or draw down any financial account at any entity to which you owe or may owe money.

You authorize us to obtain information about your assets, credit (including credit reports), taxes, debts, income, expenses and other public and non-public information that may be used to verify and ensure the completeness of the information you provide to us. Such information may not be comprehensive or complete. It is obtained for background information and to aid our verification only. We will prepare your bankruptcy filings based upon information supplied by you. We will rely upon this information as being true, accurate, complete and correct. It is your responsibility to disclose your ownership or interest in any prior ownership or interest in all assets, regardless of value, and all debts and claims, regardless of amount. If a creditor is not listed, the debt to such creditor may not be discharged. If false, incorrect or incomplete information is included, or information is omitted, it can cause you additional effort and expense to remedy the error, may place the bankruptcy itself in jeopardy and could result in civil or criminal liability. It is vitally important that the information included in the bankruptcy schedules be complete and correct to avoid any problems. You will review all documents filed as part of your bankruptcy case, and your signature on those documents signifies that you have read and understood them, and agree with their contents. *In cases of joint representation of spouses, communication with one spouse will be deemed communication with both spouses.* We may disclose to both spouses any facts disclosed by either spouse.

You must preserve all records and documents related in any way to this matter, including all electronic

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documents and data.

After your case is filed, unless otherwise instructed by this office, you must pay all taxes incurred after the date of filing (and file all necessary tax returns), maintain any required insurance, file all required monthly reports, pay quarterly U.S. Trustee fees and any adequate protection payments, and make all payments called for under your plan, once confirmed. Failure to do so may result in dismissal or conversion of your bankruptcy or sale of your property.

If during the course of the bankruptcy you wish to sell, refinance or pledge as security real property or any of your other assets, you must let us know so that we can ask the Court for approval. If you do not do this, the property or asset may not be able to be legally transferred, refinanced or pledged, which can cause significant problems both with the transaction and with your bankruptcy case. You must provide us with a copy of the listing agreement and/or contract for sale of the property before such document is signed by you.

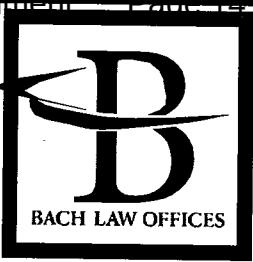
**8. Discharge and Withdrawal.** You may discharge us at any time and we may withdraw from your representation after approval by the Court. Reasons for our withdrawal may include, but are not limited to, your breach of this Agreement, your failure to pay our bills as they become due, your refusal to cooperate with us or follow our advice on a material matter, or any fact or circumstance that would render our continuing representation of you unlawful, unethical or impracticable.

Upon cessation of our active involvement in any particular matter, even if we continue to represent you in other matters, we will have no duty to inform you of future developments, deadlines or changes in the law.

**9. Disclaimer of Guarantee;** Risks. Nothing in this Agreement should be construed as a promise or guarantee about the outcome of any matter that we are handling on your behalf. Our comments about the outcome of matters pertaining to you are expressions of opinion only. There are risks in filing for bankruptcy, including the possible liquidation or loss of property. You also understand that the bankruptcy law is subject to different interpretations and that there are inherent risks in how Courts will apply various provisions. In a Chapter 11 you cannot dismiss your case without prior Court approval, and the case can be converted to Chapter 7 without your approval. Since approval of a Chapter 11 plan requires the consent of creditors, no guarantees or representations are made as to whether such approval will or can be obtained.

**10. Entire Agreement.** This letter contains all of the terms of the agreement between us applicable to our representation and may not be modified except by a written agreement signed by both of us. There are no promises, terms, conditions or obligations applicable to our representation hereunder, except as expressly set forth in this Agreement, and the terms hereof supersede any previous oral or written agreements between us with respect to our representation hereunder.

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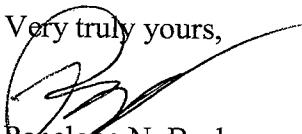


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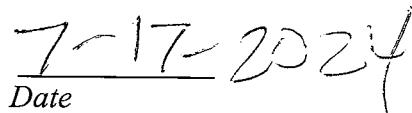
**11. Effective Date.** Please confirm that this letter accurately reflects our agreement, and that you understand and waive any potential conflicts of interest, by signing the duplicate copy of this Agreement and returning it to us along with your retainer amount stated above. The representation covered by this Agreement commences only upon the receipt by this office of such items.

If you have any questions concerning the provisions of this Agreement, please do not hesitate to call me. We look forward to the privilege of working with you.

Very truly yours,  
  
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UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED TO:

  
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**CORPORATE OWNERSHIP STATEMENT (RULE 7007.1)**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 7007.1 and to enable the Judges to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for The Cleaver LLC JJLBS LLC in the above captioned action, certifies that the following is a (are) corporation(s), other than the debtor or a governmental unit, that directly or indirectly own(s) 10% or more of any class of the corporation's(s') equity interests, or states that there are no entities to report under FRBP 7007.1:

None [Check if applicable]

July 23, 2024

Date

/s/ Penelope Bach

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Signature of Attorney or Litigant

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